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ACCEPT COMPROMISES Cenator Aldrich and the ch protectionists in the Senate decided to heed the protests of West against the reimpoof the Dingley tariff rates, with creases in some of them. He y have come to see that these are not merely perfunctory actually representative of the will in those states, which are telal to Republican success in the al elections of 1910 and the

former Aldrich does not intend to concessions at present but does in to allow them in the conference ee. His evident plan is to ful robable campaign pledges in the route bill, and then to grant com-routes in conference, pleading to a highly protected interests in ex-matter that only by such means that only by such means flock be avoided, at a time the greatest need of the several

will not accept the Taft plan of e tax. The latter he regards as eme to render tariff taxes or wholly unnecessary. Such for procured by an income tax der unnecessary a similar The dance to be given by our local string or the suppose would demand all the review produced that Bepublican extravagance in the collection of the motive o int of tariff revenue, unless it was and that Republican extravagance in

ed army, they would be called end dealt with as such.

Everything in town this week is in a flutter and flurry of excitement—in musical, social, and intellectual. Two or three lectures of an evening, shows of all kinds, no end of neighborhood gossip, cases crawding into the local courts, and squads of reporters on the run trying to catch up. No one need regret that two or three good things come at the same time, for then all tastes can be suited and the town is large enough to maintain half a dozen enterprises. To show how our best citizens appreciate a good thing when it is within reach, it is only necessary to refer to the very interesting lecture given a few evenings ago at the library by Prof. Jenkinson of Yale University. Anything from Yale goes in this town! Recollect what crowds Prof. Porter drew last year to listen ected. It could be foressen clearniy Democratic districts most ntably elected Republican Aln. Then, Mayor Lee, also unacably, developed into an ardent froad man, and this fitted the to the situation. The Farmer heretofore been unable to find a chemical trace of valid reason any Bridgeporter should support railread's harbor line, and it finds new in the so-called concessions. the sale of "a birthright for a of pottage."

e city has yielded 11 acres of hararea, valued by the recipient of gift at \$250,000, and received in dly handsome acknowledgement, ? Grooved ralls on some indefportion of Main street!

versity. Anything from Yale goes in this town! Recollect what crowds Prof. Porter drew last year to listen to stories about Kipling. Shakespeare and Wendell Phillips? Now we are to have a minstrel show for the benefit of the cemetery; a talk on birds and feathers for the library; and a lecture on the "Man and the Crowd" to help out the Women's Aid Society of the Methodist church. We do not know how some of our churches would be able to make both ends meet if the ladies were not all the time contriving ways and means to raise the financial wind. It is dollars which make things hum, and dollars are sometimes considered of more worth than a friend. city has yielded the safety of sidewalk on Stratford avenue, ch was demanded by practically entire population, and has humoly received in exchange, what? The privilege of using park-wise a strip the shore above Stratford avenue, in perpetuity as parks are usualnated, but only until the road es to make use of it.

city has practically conceded oad's Congress street demand, and it is to receive in grateful return the emoval of the Naugatuck dock, prog the road does not ask for, and the government does not grant, its on, as on at least one previous Also, the road is to dredge ce covered by the dock, if ever ed, which work either the govent would do, or the channel current would itself accomplish. Besides, the road can use the dredged material to All in the \$250,000 worth of harbor so munificently given to it by e city, which is perhaps its cheap-

and the abandonment of the city's

city receives in addition to grooved lee will be much missed; on Monday ralls which are intended to placate Main street owners and merchants, the new and microscopic "Seaside" Mrs. Walter Day sails this week for a city receives in addition to grooved rails which are intended to placate Park" above Stratford avenue with a summer in Europe; Edward Beers has returned from Providence; Roger Briggs graduates this month from the string attached and the long promised removal of the Naugatuck dock and Storrs Agricultural College; Mrs. Samthe accompanying dredging both of uel Johnson has gone to which will benefit the road, the road promises not to close the sidewalk at tend a meeting in Putney last even-Recent visitors in town include Miss trance or the walk on the south side of the viaduct bridge, the former of which is necessary to the use of the

cessions" to the city. It is an empty

promise. The road could not close

these walks without destroying the

principal entrance to its station and

providing a new passenger approach

The professed compromise is a sur-

render, without "the honors of war"-

an abject, ignominious surrender. Ex-

cept the grooved rails, there is not one

compensation of real value, and that

one is insufficient. The ten-year old

boy who should negotiate such a deal

by his parents to the home for imbe-

ciles. Acceptance of the professed com-

promise' is the most shameful chapter

Cool off quickly—drink a glass of Williams' Root Beer. Make it at home for 2 cents a quart. At grocers.

STRATFORD

A Woman Sees Snakes—Strawberries

Temperance-Latest Personals.

Homegrown-The Grand Matron-

The Local Flutter - Lecture on

The woman known as "Dotty" who

as up before the court on Monday.

for intoxication, and bringing into

town a bottle of whiskey from the

Last might St. John's lodge held a

sidered of more worth than a friend. Loan a fellow \$10 and see him cross the street to avoid meeting you!

Next Tuesday one will be able to get ples, cakes, breads, and biscuit, all home made, at the town hall.

Hon. Stiles Judson was the toast-master at the banquet given last night at the Stratfield by the Sons of the

The annual Cupheag Club dinner will be held at Milford Point, George Smith's on the 29th. The gentlemen

American Revolution.

of Bridgeport's history.

and exit for its steamer line.

Fanny Lewis of Derby, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Crane, and a young lady named Stevens. The usual prayer meetings are held in town every Wednesday night at the inclined entrance, while the latter is equally as necessary to the passenger traffic of the road's steamer line to various churches. This is an old and well established custom, known to all New York, both being essential to the proper and convenient conduct of the The Weed family is afflicted with road's business. This promise of nonclosure is one of the so-called "con-

### **FAIRFIELD**

Study of Birds-Treasures of the Pequat -New Books-Large Real Estate Transaction — Hunting for School Teachers - Electricity.

All Audubon people, and they are very thick in this town, will be pleased to know that in the Southport disin Yankeeland, would probably be sent trict, the children of school age are taking an unusual interest in the study of birds. To help and encourage them Miss Francis A. Hurd of South Norwalk and Miss Lacey of this place, who until recently conducted a bird column in a city paper, have both bird column in a city paper, have both given addresses to the children, while Miss Heydrick, of the Pequot Library, has placed at their disposal a large collection of beautiful and costly books filled with colored drawings of birds, which they are permitted to examine. One of these books is a treatise on humming birds, of which there is an immense variety. Another is an immense variety. Another volume is devoted to the ant eating thrushes of tropical countries. Then thrushes of tropical countries. Then
there is a large and fine edition of Audubon's great work. It appears that
the children are more deeply interested in the birds with which they are
familiar, than they are in the highly colored tropical creatures.

The treasures of the Pequot library are not as well known to most of the citiens as they should be. It contains many very rare and costly volumes, autograph letters, and it has recently spent cutte large sums in purchasing spent quite large sums in purchasing famous autographs. Just now it has on exhibition a large and fine collec-

city, and who was placed in the care of Sheriff Stagg until the money came from her husband, said to be at Oyster Bay, with which she hoped to pay the fine and costs imposed, was put into the lockup on Monday night since the expected postal order did not arrive. It is affirmed that while in the lockup she 'imagined she was in an African jungle and saw all manner of wild things, such as monkeys and snakes. Curlous what a stimulant to the imagination a glass of whiskey tion of photographs representing scenes in Yellowstone Park. These art exhibitions of the Pequot are both instructive and very interesting. It appears that there will be three evenings this month devoted to Shakespeare. Hamlet is to be given on the lith inst., the Merchant of Venice on the imagination a glass of whiskey proves to be. Of course if the fine is not paid within a reasonable time "Dotty" will have to be taken to the 11th inst., the Merchant of Venice on the 14th and Othello on the 18th. Mrs. G. M. Ahren is the advance agent of Dr. Abbott of Boston who gives the readings. She has been canvassing the town urging people to buy tickets for the lectures, and has met with a communication.

Clayton R. Blakeslee has departed this town for the city of Wilkesbarre, Pa., where he will be employed by the sperry & Hutchinson Stamp Comgood degree of success. Quite targe number of both ladies and gen large number of both ladies and gen-tlemen will go from the center to Southport to hear Dr. Abbott. He takes half of the proceeds for him-self, and the rest, minus the expenses, will be given to the Village Improve-ment Society. There are those who doubt if Shakespeare will net as much pany.

Rev. C. S. Bullock is making a hurried business trip to Cleveland. O.

Measles have broken out in the family of MacLaren Stevenson.

The dance to be given by our local String Orchestra on the evening of the

mr. Treadwell of St. John's, Bridgeport, was in town yesterday, at St.
Paul's practicing the music for the
Clucus-Wood wedding.
Mrs. Walter Merwin has been visiting Mrs. N. W. Ogden.
Mrs. Andrew Wakeman has been the
guest of Mrs. Herman Pease.
Black Rock turnpike is being ornamented with rows of maple trees.
At the recent funeral of Mrs. Wiggins, hymns were sung by Mrs. Wm.
Bulkley, Miss Edna Bulkley, Miss
Olive Pease and Mr. George Merwin.
Bert Buttery is home again. He
was employed by Mr. Potts.
Mr. Kissam is at his summer residence on Greenfield Hill.
A gentleman connected with the
United Illuminating company, said a
day or two ago that the cables for
electric lights would be in place by
the first of July. After that any
one who wishes can have electricity.
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as well as the center of the town.
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Embroidery clubs continue to meet here and there all over town, and they are doing some excellent work as well as enjoying the lunches which are served.

Let a linear time one heard some. served.

It is almost time one heard something more about the proposed exhibition to be given by the Camera altogether, and this board is expected to filling-in.

One patriotic gentleman in town, in anticipation of the city's contentions as to Stratford aveland Congress street grossings, the

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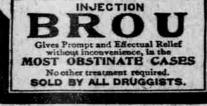


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